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SUB: PROPOSED NW LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC ORGANIZATION

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1. EMBOFF INQUIRED OF AMB FIGUERERO, NOW ACTING SECRETARY PRO TEM FOR NEXT MEETING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS IN MARCH, CONCERNING PROPOSED NW LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC ORGANIZATION. HE GAVE EXTENSIVE HISTORY OF THIS IDEA, WHICH, HE SAID, DATES BACK MANY YEARS. HE SAID IT HAS BEEN POPPING UP IN ONE FORM OR ANOTHER SINCE, AS HE PUT IT, THE USG KILLED THE IDEA OF CECLA DEVELOPING INTO SUCH AN ORGANIZATION IN ABOUT 1970. HE SAID THIS SUGGESTION HAD BEEN ON THE AGENDA FOR THE FORTHCOMING LATIN AMERICAN HEADS OF STATE MEETING IN PERU TO CELEBRATE THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF AYACUCHO, BUT HAD BEEN REMOVED.

2. FIGUERERO SAID MAIN FACTOR WORKING AGAINST SUCH AN ORGANIZATION IS LACK OF UNDERSTANDING BY MANY PEOPLE THAT SUCH ORGANIZATION AND OAS WOULD HAVE DIFFERENT ROLES, WHEREAS MANY PEOPLE CONSIDER THAT THE TWO ARE MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE.

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3. EMBASSY WILL CONTINUE TO TRY TO PICK UP FURTHER INFORMATION

ON THIS SUBJECT.

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